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From: Miller, Johanna [Miller.Johanna@epa.gov]
Sent: 9/23/2016 3:24:09 PM
To: Ketellapper, Victor [Ketellapper.Victor@epa.gov]
Subject: FW: Black Hills uranium study press

Meant to copy you on the message I sent out.....Johanna

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Sent: Friday, September 23, 2016 9:19 AM
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Subject: RE: Black Hills uranium study press

Thank you. Will share with the media team, agree on approach.

From: Miller, Johanna
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All – Just a heads up that the SD Clean Water Alliance issued a press release yesterday (attached) based on a recently released SD School of Mines report (also attached) detecting, what the press release states are elevated levels of uranium in the sediments of Angostura reservoir. The reservoir is along the Cheyenne River approx. 30 miles downstream from Edgemont. The DFT mines we recently conducted a PA and SI are along a tributary to the Cheyenne River upstream of Edgemont. I also attached the communication strategy developed when we finalized our work there.

The Rapid City Journal has been covering the history uranium mine story so they may pick up the story. I suggest if asked we indicate that we just received the SD School of Mines report and will be looking at the results.

Along with looking at the report I also asked Victor to discuss any possible follow up with the national DOE/EPA/FLMA Region 6,8,9 Uranium mines working group.

Johanna

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Johanna, Review the press release asking for EPA to reopen the DFT site. Let's discuss this morning.

Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

Victor

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Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2016 12:32 PM
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Hi Victor

You may want to do a read on these – they mention EPA and the Dewey Burdock Site. Thanks, Jean

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David:

I am forwarding the enclosed information to you that I just received from SDSMT. I am hoping that before you leave that we will have a chance to talk, but in any case I would like to have a mailing address so that I can send some things in the near future.

Sincerely,



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Hi Bob. Just an FYI, there has been some recent press related to one of our recent publications on the southern Black Hills historical uranium mining impacts. I've attached our publication, and a recent press release from the South Dakota Clean Water Alliance that apparently was recently distributed. Our study was part of my PhD student Rohit Sharma's work. We completed the work many years back as you remember, but only recently had the work finally published as he completed his PhD dissertation. I believe I had previously forwarded this paper to you as part of his PhD dissertation.

Just wanted to give you a heads up. Hope all is well. Note I'm currently at the University of Canterbury in New Zealand on sabbatical leave, but can certainly talk as needed. Cheers. Jim

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